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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Five men calling themselves Americans, while looting a town near Pekin, captured by Chinese troops. —— Senator Kyle, of South Dakota, is dead. —— Negro lynched at Lawrenceville, Va., Sunday night by a mob. —— Striking machinists at Newport News adhere to their determination to hold out for their demands. —— A strike has been ordered in two of the plants of the United States Steel Corporation, involving 35,000 men. —— Fire on the docks, Charlestown, Mass., destroyed a quantity of merchandise; loss $200,000. —— Civil government will be inaugurated in the Philippines July 4th. —— Hon. W. J. Bryan addressed a large audience last night at Newport News, Va. —— Eleven boys were killed and another probably fatally injured by a single bolt of lightning at Chicago. —— Baltimore esterday was the hottest city in the United States; up to 11 o'clock 9 deaths and 25 prostrations were reported. ——New York markets: Money on call firm at 6@12 per cent.; cotton dull, middling uplands 8¼c; flour was nominally lower; wheat—spot easier, No. 2 red 74¼c; corn—spot steady, No. 2 48¼c; oats—spot dull, No. 2 32½c; rosin quiet; spirits turpentine steady.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU.
WILMINGTON, N. C., July 1

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 78 degrees; 8 P. M., 80 degrees; maximum, 90 degrees; minimum, 70 degrees; mean, 80 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 0; rainfall since first of the month to date, 0.00 inches.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 9 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Warm weather continues in all sections. Showers are reported in the eastern, and local rains in the western districts. Maximum temperature at Wilmington, 90; Charlotte, 94.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—For North Carolina — Showers and thunder storms Tuesday and probably Wednesday, except on the north coast; light to fresh southerly winds, becoming variable.

Port Almanac—July 2.

Sun Rises	4.46 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.30 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 34 M.
High Water at Southport.	7 31 A. M.
High Water Wilmington.	10.01 A. M.

Dead Boers come high. It costs John Bull about $100,000 a piece to run 'em down and kill 'em.

The Southern Railway has purchased 10,000 acres of land in Georgia which it proposes to colonize with Finns.

It is said that Cuba is going to have the Australian ballot. Imagine the average Cuban wrestling with the Australian ballot.

Admirals Dewey and Sampson have been both lauded as heroes, but neither has been so dazzled by the glory won as to lose sight of the prize money.

An Atlantic City dispatch says the people of that burg are going to "bathe the sea in fire" on the Fourth. After that the sea thereabouts ought to be pretty wet.

Augusta, Ga., and Aiken, S. C. are to be connected by an electric railway, the trains upon which will be drawn by an electric engine. Work began on it Tuesday.

The Democrats of Kansas have refused to fuse with the fusionists. Sensible. These fusions generally result in confusion in the long run, and a wallop in the meantime.

Texas is complaining of drought. But Texas shouldn't expect to have oil, water and everything else. There are sections up in these parts which would swap their surplus water for some of her flowing oil wells.

Admiral Schley expresses the opinion that nations should perpetuate the great events of their history rather than the participants, who should be left to the historian. Secretary Root put on the Santiago medal the head of Admiral Sampson, who wasn't in it.

A Chinese company has presented to this country a bill for $287,200 for loot carried away by American soldiers when they entered Tien Tain. There are lots of these Chinese mementoes scattered around this country, and some of them, strange to remark, are in the National Museum, in Washington.

New Jersey has some queer kinds of lightning and none of them will do to fool with. There is the liquid kind, distilled from the apple, sometimes vulgarly called applejack, and the sheet lightning and the forked kind that usually comes from clouds, but the other day a ball came out of a clear sky, straddled a wire fence, ran along it, jumped into a barn and set it on fire.

ANOTHER BOND ISSUE

That is the Solution Offered by Aldermen for the Sewerage Problem.

ELECTION ALREADY CALLED.

The Amount is $100,000 and It Will be for Municipal Ownership—The Wilmington Company's Plans Undisturbed in the Meantime.

The sewerage question will not down.

It came in again for its share of attention at yesterday afternoon's regular monthly meeting of the Board of Aldermen and before the "smoke had cleared from the field," an ordinance had been adopted submitting to the people at an election to be held on August 15th, the question of the issuance of $100,000 bonds for the municipal ownership of a system, and the few that had gathered in the Mayor's office out of curiosity and for other purposes, were treated to the usual lively exchange of words and the firing here and there of bits of repartee that have thus far characterized arguments of this kind. In the meantime, the approval of the plans of the Wilmington Sewerage Company were left undisturbed and work is being pushed on its disposal plant to the northwest of the city.

In order that the routine work of the Board might be disposed of first, reports of all the committees were called for except that one on "Sewerage" and this subject was approached with fear and trembling at the conclusion of the other business.

Alderman Bailey, the chairman, responded to the call of Mayor Waddell for the report and he prefaced a motion to reconsider the former action of the Board in approving the plans of the Wilmington Sewerage Company by saying that this committee had been virtually relieved of its duties and that these duties had been assumed by the entire Board. He asked that the duties of this committee be defined and the Mayor stated that an ordinance to this effect was in order but no ordinance was forthcoming. He then supplemented his motion by an offer to give his reasons for offering the same and read them as given before at length in these columns. Alderman Von Glahn seconded the motion and Alderman Harriss offered an amendment postponing the reconsideration. The amendment was carried, Messrs. Harriss, Skinner, Parker, West and Maunder voting aye and Alderman Spencer being absent. He then asked that the proposition of Mr. T. A. Darby offering $10,000 for a franchise be read and insinuated, in his opinion that it was a "bluff" and he intended to "call it." The record was sought and it was found that the proposition was referred to the Sewerage Committee and Mr. Bailey said that the committee was not ready to report.

Alderman Johnson then offered the following ordinance, which was adopted after thorough discussion, those voting aye having been Messrs. VonGlahn, Harriss, Johnson, Bailey, Parker and Mann; nay, Messrs. Maunder, West and Skinner:

WHEREAS, by an Act of the General Assembly entitled "An Act to authorize the City of Wilmington to establish sewers and for other purposes" ratified the 6th day of March, 1891, the Board of Aldermen are authorized to lay, make and maintain common sewers whenever they shall adjudge the same necessary; and,

WHEREAS, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Act the said Board were authorized to hold an election in the month of March, 1891, submitting the question of the issue of "bonds for sewerage" and "bonds forstreet improvement," each in the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars; and,

WHEREAS, At the time an election was held and the proposed issue of bonds were then defeated; and,

WHEREAS, In the 12th section of the said act it is declared that "if the result of said election shall be against the issuing of either of the said bonds, the Board of Aldermen of said city may at any time or time afterwards again submit to the qualified voters of said city the question of issuing said bonds;

THEREFORE, Be it enacted that the laying and maintaining of a public system of sewerage in the city of Wilmington has become imperatively necessary for the public convenience and the public health; and, for the purpose of raising the money to build, contract and lay such a public system of sewerage, that there be issued, with the consent and approval of the Board of Audit and Finance of this city, coupon bonds to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars, bearing interest payable semi-annually, at the rate of five per cent. per annum, in the denominations of five hundred dollars, and said bonds shall be payable thirty years after the date of issue at the office of the Clerk and Treasurer of said city, or elsewhere, as may be hereafter determined, and shall be signed by the Mayor of said city and countersigned by the chairman of said Board of Audit and Finance; *provided*, that at the election hereinafter called, a majority of the qualified voters of this city shall approve and vote to issue the said bonds.

Be it further enacted, That pursuant to the aforesaid Act of the General Assembly, authorizing the submission to the qualified voters of this city of the question of issuing bonds for public sewerage, that an election of the qualified voters of this city be and is hereby called, and said election shall be held on the third Thursday of August, A. D. 1901, being the fifteenth day of that month, at which said election shall be submitted the question of issuing bonds for sewerage in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, as proposed in this ordinance. The said election to be held at the usual places and in the same manner as other municipal elections are held.

Be it further enacted, That a formal notice of such election be published in each of the daily newspapers of this city for at least a period of thirty days before the time of holding the said election.

Upon introduction of the ordinance Alderman Harriss moved for a recess of ten minutes as he wished time for a thorough examination of the document, as he was confident that "some lawyer" had a hand in its framing and he desired to fall into no pitfall. The recess was taken and at the expiration of ten minutes the Board was called to order again and Alderman Johnson asked Iredell Meares, Esq., to explain the act of the General Assembly authorizing the submission of the question to the people. Mr. Meares, at the outset, stated that he was not professionally interested in the sewerage question, but at the request of Mr. Johnson he had drawn the ordinance presented. He favored municipal ownership and presented a verbal statement of the present outstanding bonded indebtedness of the city. It had been reduced $80,000 since 1895 and he thought the issue proper for such a public necessity. He spoke against private ownership and cited the case of the water works company, an investment unprofitable to the owners and unsatisfactory to the city.

Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy next addressed the Board in behalf of the Wilmington Sewerage Company and said that all connections with the pipes of his corporation would be entirely voluntary upon the part of citizens, as might not be clearly gathered from Mr. Meares' argument preceding. He was not averse to public ownership but questioned the propriety of a bond issue in this crisis when there are already rumors of repudiation abroad in the land. He had drawn the act under which the proposed election is to be held and soon after its passage by the Legislature the people of the city voted about five to one against an increased indebtedness for sewerage. He was, however, willing to submit the question to the voters of Wilmington.

Alderman Parker favored the ordinance and argued that the time was now more seasonable for a bond issue.

Mr. T. A. Darby spoke in favor of his application for a franchise and resented Mr. Harriss' intimation as to his offer being a "bluff" and challenged him to call it. This Mr. Harriss said he would do if the committee would ever report. He said the system would cost $200,000 and detailed how the money might be raised by the city.

The final motion to adopt the ordinance was by Mr. Harriss, with second by Mr. VonGlahn.

It is not believed that the Audit and Finance Board will concur in the passage of the law.

LOCAL DOTS.

— For other local see fourth page.

— An excursion from Charlotte to Wilmington is announced for July 30th.

— Did you unravel the mystery of the puzzle picture in the STAR of Sunday?

— An important boat race is on tapis at Southport for "The Fourth." There are eighteen entries, which will be given to-morrow.

— The service Sunday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. conducted by Mr. Henry W. A. Hanson was greatly enjoyed by a large congregation of young men and their friends.

— The report of the harbor master shows arrivals of 23 vessels of 90 tons and over at this port during the month of June. Of these, 9 were steamships, 2 were barques and 12 were schooners.

— Members of the local military will be interested in the announcement that the Rutherfordton Guards, recently disbanded, have been reorganized with a full complement of new officers.

— Stonewall Lodge No. 1, K. of P., last night installed the following as its officers for the ensuing term: W. E. Davis, C. C.; J. T. Riley, V. C.; H. O. Craig, M. of W.; J. T. Gordon, P.; G. A. Peterson, M. at A.; E. A. Batson, I. G.; J. M. Holmes, O. G.

— The pantry thief is "again abroad in the land." Saturday night a safe in the rear of the residence of Mr. W. J. Meredith, No. 207 North Third street, was raided and a quantity of "Sunday provisions" stolen. Entrance was effected by means of a key left on top of the safe.

— Prof. Washington Catlett, the superintendent, advertises that an examination for teachers of the public schools in the county will be held at the Court House on Thursday, July 11th, for white teachers and on Friday, July 12th, for colored applicants.

— Monroe Byrd, Alexander Lord, Bruce Walters, Jim Harriss and Jno. C. Bennett, all colored, were cooped by the police in a gambling joint over Jacobs' barber shop on Dock street Sunday morning at 8 o'clock. They were each bound over to the Superior Court in the sum of $35.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Notice—To teachers.
Atlantic National Bank—Prompt.
A. D. Brown—Shirts at half price.
Str. Compton—Fourth at Southport.
N. C. College A. & M. A.—Practical
Second Reg't Band—Moonlight exc'n.
Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.—All gone

Johnson's entire stock is offered at special prices. †

Bargain hunters are fully satisfied at Johnson's. †

A FIFTH STRAIGHT.

Giants Needed No Thunder, But Rain Would Have Refreshed King "Kel."

SCORE WAS FOUR TO ONE.

The Turtles Moved Slowly and Could Not Get in the Band Wagon—Charlotte Defeated by Norfolk and Richmond Silenced Ashenback.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Wilmington, 4; Raleigh, 1.
Charlotte, 7; Norfolk, 13,
Tarboro, 2; Richmond, 14.

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-MORROW.

Raleigh at Wilmington.
Charlotte at Norfolk.
Tarboro at Richmond.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Wilmington	6	1	.857
Norfolk	5	2	.714
Raleigh	4	3	.571
Richmond	3	4	.428
Charlotte	2	5	.285
Tarboro	1	6	.142

Little need be said of yesterday's game at Hilton by which, in a splendid exhibition, the Giants wrested the honors from King Kelly's Red Birds in a score of 4 to 1, thereby making a record of five consecutive games and getting a lead pipe cinch on "top of column," as of yore.

Neither team scored in the first three innings but the fourth was productive of tallies for both aggregations, but not enough for Kelly whose appetite for runs from the Giants is almost insatiable. In this inning after Sorber, for Raleigh, had gone out to short and Curran had fanned, Smith swatted the ball for a nice single and "Bill D." LeGrande followed it up with a double hit, scoring his predecessor and saving the Turtles a shut-out, as it would have otherwise been. Venable came up and beat the atmosphere.

When the Giants came up, it was for three runs on free passes to Devlin and Sebring, the former having stole second and good safe hits by Crockett and Thackara which sent two men across the rubber. Then Warren made a hit to short and "your uncle Davy" went under the wire, with only one man down and two men on the cushions. McGinnis and Cranston went out to second and centre. It was almost one, two three, and "you're out" until the eighth inning when Sebring and Crockett landed safely on errors of Kelley and Venable. Thackara, next up, flew out to right, who doubles to second, while "Jimmie" Sebring raced home. Warren flew out to right.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Raleigh	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	4
Wilmington	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	*	4	4	1

Batteries: Stanley and LeGrande; Stewart and Thackara.

THE TABULATED SCORE.

Raleigh.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Atz, 3b	2	0	1	0	2	0
Kelly, 1b	4	0	0	8	0	1
Hennager, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	1
Sorber, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Curran, cf	4	0	1	1	0	1
Smith, rf	4	1	2	4	1	0
LeGrand, c	4	0	1	5	0	0
Venerable, ss	4	0	0	0	4	1
Stanley, p	4	0	1	2	0	0
Total	33	1	7	24	10	4

Wilmington.	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Clayton, ss	4	0	0	4	2	0
Devlin, 1b	3	1	1	6	1	0
Sebring, lf	3	2	1	2	0	0
Crockett, 3b	3	1	1	5	2	0
Thackara, c	3	0	1	6	2	1
Warren, 3b	4	0	0	1	1	0
McGinnis, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Cranston, rf	3	0	0	0	1	0
Stewart, p	3	0	0	2	1	0
Total	29	4	4	27	10	1

Summary: Stolen bases, Devlin, Thackara, Crockett (2) and Warren; two base hits, LeGrande; base on balls, Stewart 2, Stanley 4; struck out, Stewart 5, Stanley 5; passed ball, Thackara. Time of game, 1:40. Umpire, Mr. Staley. Attendance, 350.

Six Out of Seven, But Don't Expect All.

— King Kelly's krew kan kick.

— The Giants made but one error.

— The attendance was about five hundred. It should be larger to-day.

— Kurious, komikal King Kelly's krew kan't konscientiously krow over it.

— Let us have a banner for the Wilmington team bearing the inscription: "Wilmington Giants—Champions of First Series;" or, something similar.

— Uncle Davy Crockett was strictly in it, and received much applause. Likewise, Cap. Clayton. Davy was as spry in his movements as a two year-old.

— There is talk of an additional pitcher for Wilmington, but nothing definite had been done up to last night. He will likely be needed before the moon changes.

— The Raleigh *Post* received details of the game yesterday by telegraph from the grounds. Presumably, it included de-tails of the Turtles which the Giants cut off very close up.

— The outfield of the base ball grounds at Hilton Park needs a thorough cleaning up. The grass and weeds should be cut and the sand-spurs removed "root and branch."

— Please look at the percentage column. You will see that the Champions have won six out of seven games played in the second series. "Can such things be and overcome us as a Summer cloud?" Well, not always. We shall lose a game now and then.

Pretty little Red Bird settin' on a limb;
He looked at me and I looked at him;
I raised my gun and aimed it true;
I shot that Red Bird as he flew.

— Mt. Olive *Advertiser*: A 25½ lbs. Logger-head Turtle created about all the sensation that could be mustered up on our streets Tuesday. Being that it was an inland turtle we felt like sending him to King Kelly, of Raleigh, to use as a mascot."

— Quoth the owdacious ornithological of the Raleigh *Post*: "The cemetery editor of the STAR announces that he is all serene and prepared for this week's fray." True, sonny; but he is awful busy now giving orders for graves and things for the esteemed Turtles.

— Sebring will probably pitch for Wilmington to-day. He has done some amateur work in the box; but he is not in practice now, and his friends should not expect too much of him. He has simply volunteered to help the Giants out in an emergency. Good luck to him.

— The Raleigh papers print the names of nearly three hundred lady managers of the big Base Ball Bazaar to be held in that city July 4th for the benefit of the Raleigh team. Will not the ladies of Wilmington—the fair rooterinas who derive so much pleasure from the games—rally to the aid of Wilmington's Champions?

— Stafford has no doubt gone to the New Orleans team, and it is reported that he will be made Captain. They need lots of Captains. They are at the bottom of an eight-club league, with a percentage of 319. Little Rock is at the top, with 625, and even Chattanooga, next above New Orleans, has a percentage of 487.

— It would be a graceful act if the ladies who are so much interested in baseball would prepare a flag or banner for the Giants, with a suitable inscription showing that they were victors in the first series of games. It could be placed in some prominent position at Hilton Park whenever a game is played there, and would be very encouraging to the boys.

Games On Other Diamonds.

At Richmond—

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Richmond	0	3	2	4	0	0	5	0	*	14	18	1
Tarboro	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	—	2	7	1

Batteries: Hooker and Manners; Wolf, Morgan and Foster.

At Norfolk—

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E
Norfolk	5	1	2	0	5	0	0	0	*	13	9	3
Charlotte	1	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	—	7	11	3

Batteries: Dannehower and Lehman; Murray, Colliflower and Gates.

SOME GENERAL BASE BALL NEWS.

Cold Facts and Figures About Wilmington Giants—Stafford and Vorhees.

The Raleigh Athletic Association which is backing the Raleigh ball team has lost some money on the club. This was because of the last ten days when theo were up against Newport News and Portsmouth and the league was about to go through. The club is about $500 loser. This being so it is proposed to have a big Baseball Bazaar and Lawn Party on July 4th, on the lawn back of the postoffice. Already one firm has contributed an article worth $15.00 to be auctioned. It is certain that many other firms in Raleigh will contribute also.—*News and Observer.*

The above suggests that something of the same sort might be done by our ladies. The Wilmington team is in need of funds, and in order to carry it through to the season's end $500 or thereabouts must in some manner be raised. Will the ladies not undertake to raise it, in part?

The management authorize our publishing the fact that Stafford has been released to New Orleans. The amount paid for his release by the New Orleans team was $300. The money was deposited here in bank by Manager Powell, to be collected by the Wilmington management as soon as Stafford reports to play with the New Orleans team. The money to be thus realized will just about pay the indebtedness of the team to date. Our team has certainly been a credit to any city, and it would indeed look badly to see it have to disband for lack of support. On no trip to the Virginia cities has it ever failed to lose money, and that heavily. Thus is accounted for the present financial stress.

It seems now to be generally conceded that Vorhees has left us, so that the team is temporarily short on pitchers. Pitcher Henry Willig, a good one, who pitched last year for Albany in the New York State League, and whose home is in Williamsport, Pa., has wired that he will come at once, but the management are reluctant to entail any additional expense until they receive some assurance of financial support. Clayton, Sebring and Allen speak of him in high terms.

County Pension Board.

The County Pension Board held an adjourned session yesterday afternoon at the Court House upon which there were in attendance all members of the board of County Commissioners, Col. Jno. D. Taylor, Clerk of the Superior Court; Sheriff F. H. Stedman, and the Advisory Board consisting of Col. W. L. DeRosset, Mr. Owen Fennell, Capt. Geo. W. Huggins, Capt. O. M. Fillyaw and Mr. A. G. Hankins. The following additional pensions were allowed, all of them being fourth class except that of Mr. Peter H. Smith, who is of the third class: S. S. Garrison, Joseph J. Taylor, Monroe Peterson, Louis A. Watkins, Thos. J. Ramsey, Peter H. Smith, James G. Farrow, James J. Canady, J. R. Rackley, Wm. H. Darden, Jas. H. Porter, Mesdames Mary A. Dean, Elizabeth Kerr, Eliza Piner, Rachel Jones, and Susan A. Jones. Applications of Robert Chadwick, Chas. D. English and Asa Lockamy were approved, provided they are completed at once. A letter was read from the State Auditor stating that the number of application blanks sent out had been unprecedented—at least 30,000. If one half of these are acted upon favorably the apportionment will be very small.

Don't miss the Great Corset Sale today at Johnson's. †

Bargains to-day in every department at Johnson's. †

Remember Johnson's Great Clearing Sale to-day. †

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Regular Monthly Meeting of the Board of Aldermen Held Yesterday Afternoon.

MANY ROUTINE MATTERS.

A Danger Signal From the Audit and Finance Board—A Number of Unimportant Items Up During the Session—The Markets.

A number of routine matters came up before the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Aldermen, which was held yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock upon which Mayor Waddell and all members except Alderman Spencer were in attendance.

The Finance Committee was instructed to look after certain additional taxes that may be due by the home insurance companies.

The resignation of Jno. T. Yates as superintendent of the fire alarm system was accepted. He based his resignation upon the refusal of an increase of salary. The matter of the election of his successor was left to the Fire Committee.

The usual contract with the City Attorney was entered into.

The contract for the corrugated awning to Front street market house was let to the Ornamental Iron and Wire Company for $104 and for construction to C. M. Whitlock for $27.50. The fixtures for the Treasurer's office were purchased of H. M. Beutell, of Atlanta, for $349 and the contract for the repair and alteration of the City Hall was let to D. Hanna for $790.

An ordinance pertaining to the erection of frame buildings within certain limits, as recommended by the local Board of Underwriters, was adopted. Also, a section upon the same recommendation regarding the sale of gun powder, making it imperative for dealers to secure a license from the Chief of the Fire Department, at no cost to the applicant.

A market ordinance was adopted allowing country carts to occupy the shed on the north side of the Front street market house, and huckster carts to occupy Dock between Front and Water streets or the lower end of the market house, all carts to be off the streets after 11 A. M., except on Saturday, and then at 11 P. M. The market house hours are prescribed from early morning to 11 A. M. and from 4 to 7 P. M., except Saturday, when the market houses may be open continuously.

The Mayor was instructed to enforce the regulation regarding debts of city employes.

Bill of J. J. Kelly for damage by sewerage overflow was refused and also application of J. A. Arringdale for improvement of one side of the western end of Market street for speedway purposes. Westbrook & Co., withdrew application for license to retail liquor in Genaust's old store across Fourth street bridge. The application of Mr. B. H. J. Ahrens, Seventh and Market streets, was unanimously granted.

Certain bills of Capt. Belden, Chestnut and Barrentine and C. H. White, the last named for extra service as police court clerk, were re-approved and the Mayor instructed to make necessary explanation to the Audit and Finance Board from whence the bills come for information.

The Board of Audit and Finance called attention in a communication to a loss of revenue to the city this year in income tax by the new machinery act and advised conservatism in expenditurs for repairs to the City Hall, extension of water pipes into the Fifth ward, permanent street improvements and advertising in the city papers.

Grace Davis, colored, was allowed $7.50 of a claim of $15.00 for a sprain received on account of a fall into a wash out in a sidewalk.

Application of Messrs. Fales & Nixon. Ed Taylor & Co. and W. H. Yopp for a reduction in the fish dealer's tax from $65 to $35 was not acted upon.

M. E. Borden was granted a permit to erect a fence on a parapet slightly out of line, about his residence on Third and Red Cross streets.

The Board confirmed the award of the contract for the laying of water mains into Fifth Ward to Wm. McLean & Co., for $4,975, work to begin October 1st.

The Streets and Wharves Committee was authorized to purchase a new engine and boiler for pumping water at the rock quarry, the one now used being too small.

The salary of Superintendent Pickett, of the city quarry, was increased from $1.25 per day to $45 per month, a larger saving having been made in another department.

The Board then launched into a discussion of the sewerage question upon the conclusion of which an adjournment was had.

Suit for Damages.

Archie Waters, administrator, yesterday entered suit in the Superior Court of Pender county, against the Angola Lumber Company. He alleges as a cause of action that his intestate, Louis Waters, colored, was killed on May 10th, while in the employment of said company; that his death was due to the negligence of the overseer of said company in permitting a tree to be cut down upon him. The plaintiff claims damages in the sum of $5,000. R. G. Grady, Esq., is counsel for plaintiff.

The popular store is Johnson's. Low prices on everything are given. †

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. E. A. Woodruff, of Raleigh, returned home yesterday.

— Mr. Will L. Miller and family are at the Seashore Hotel for the Summer.

— Mr. James Woodroe, of Savannah, Ga., spent Sunday with friends in the city.

— Mr. H. Lacy Hunt is back from a week's vacation spent at Lexington, N. C.

— Mrs. D. W. Rivenbark spent Sunday at South Washington, visiting relatives.

— Miss Gertrude Rivenbark, who has been visiting in the city, returned yesterday to her home at Willard.

— H. L. Stevens, Esq., of Warsaw, spent yesterday at the Wilmington office of his well known legal firm.

— Mrs. Herbert McClammy and little daughter, Miriam, left yesterday to spend the Summer at Hendersonville, N. C.

— Miss Frances Hoke, daughter of General Hoke, of Raleigh, and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Webb, of Raleigh, are guests of the Seashore Hotel.

Elks' Buffet Closed.

The Wilmington Elks' Club yesterday morning closed its buffet which has been conducted in the Temple since its building about six months ago. It is closed on account of the stringency of the new revenue law by which, if continued, it would necessitate the payment of a per capita tax of $6 per annum on each member, the aggregate being $840 upon its 140 members. There will be a special meeting of the club to-night to decide upon some plan by which the buffet may be continued without the excessive tax. It is intimated that attorneys will be employed and the constitutionality of the new revenue act in this particular contested in the courts.

The County Commissioners.

The proceedings of yesterday's session of the County Commissioners were short and mainly without interest. All members were present. License for the retail of malt liquors was granted to W. V. Hardin at Carolina Beach and W. H. Stokely at Wrightsville, and for the retail of spirituous liquors to A. A. Nathan, Wrightsville Beach. The usual reports were read and approved, the principal one of which was that of Road Superintendent Jones, who spoke of the damage to bridges, etc., by recent rains and of subsequent repairs. At his suggestion, he was asked to confer with Chairman Alexander, of the Road and Bridges Committee, relative to the discontinuance of certain public roads in various parts of the county, and to report at a special meeting called for other purposes next Monday.

THE BAND EXCURSION TO-NIGHT.

A Good Time in Store for Everybody On the Steamer Wilmington.

Indications point to a delightful affair in the moonlight excursion to the "Rocks" this evening under the auspices of the reorganized Second Regiment Band. The weather conditions promise to be most favorable and the steamer *Wilmington* leaves her wharf at 8 o'clock, returning about 11:30 P. M. There will be music and refreshments on board and a good time for every one. The committee of arrangements consists of those clever and affable gentlemen, Messrs. E. H. Munson, R. C. Banks and R. C. Platt, who are sparing no pains to give their friends a good time.

The fare for the round trip is only 25 cents.

Electrical Wire Workers.

Local Union No. 123, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, last night installed the following officers to serve for the ensuing term: W. B Savage, past president; E. B Burkhimer, president; E. C. Yarborough, treasurer; Jno T Yates, recording, financial and press secertary; R J. Sellars foreman; J. A. Kelly, first inspector; J. A. Kure, second inspector; A. H. Weedon. Jno. W. Scott and W. W. Thigpen, trustees.

Entrance Examination for A. and M. College.

Candidates for admission to the A. and M. College at Raleigh will be examined by the County Superintendent of Schools in the court house at 10 o'clock A. M., July 11, or at the College, September 3. This College is giving instruction in the most important lines of practical education, and its students are in great demand, always securing profitable employment on graduation. It offers special advantages to students of Agriculture, including free tuition and lodging and work on the College farm. The textile building is now being erected. A professor of fancy weaving and dyeing has been added to the faculty and about $20,000 of textile machinery secured. As dormitory accommodation is very limited, it would be well for candidates to apply early. Write to President Winston, Raleigh, for catalogue and booklets. See advertisement. †

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION

Tuesday night, July 2nd, Second Regiment Band, N. C. S. G. Rocks and return. Fare 25c. Boat leaves at 8 o'clock sharp. Refreshments on board. jn 2 1t

A BIG FOURTH.

At Carolina Beach, under the auspices of Kyota Tribe No. 3, Improved Order of Red Men. Dancing all day. A splendid time in general. Boats leave the city at 8 and 10.30 A. M. and 2, 5 and 7.30 P. M. Leave Beach at 9 and 11 A. M. and 3, 6 and 10 P. M. Fare for round trip 25c. je 30 2t

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DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View.
6 30 A. M.	7 45 A. M.
10 10 A. M.	11 30 A. M.
2 30 P. M.	3 45 P. M.
5 10 P. M.	6 00 P. M.
7 30 P. M.	10 00 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAIN.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View.
10 10 A. M.	11 30 A. M.
2 30 P. M.	6 00 P. M.
7 30 P. M.	9 00 P. M.

Every Friday and Saturday on account of Hotel and Club House dances extra train will leave Wilmington 11 P. M., the Beach at 12 P. M.

Freight will be carried only on the 10 10 A. M. and 5 P. M. trains, except fresh meats, ice and vegetables, which will be taken on the 6.30 train. No goods will be received unless accompanied by way bills and Freight Prepaid. Freight must be received at our depot 15 minutes before leaving time of train. No exceptions will be made to these rules.

R. O. GRANT, Superintendent.

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NOTICE TO TEACHERS.

Examination for Teachers of the Public Schools will be held at the Court House on Thursday, July 11th, for white applicants, and Friday, July 12th, for colored applicants. Subjects of examination: Spelling, Defining, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Geography, Grammar, History of North Carolina, History of United States, Physiology and Hygiene, Civil Government, Theory and Practice of Teaching.

W. CATLETT, Superintendent.

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The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

TUESDAY MORNING, JULY 2

RESURRECTING AN ISSUE.

There is a good deal of rot in the platform adopted by the last Republican convention in Ohio, and also a good deal of meanness. The rot consists in the claims that all the progress and prosperity of the country since the Republican party came into power were the result of its policies, its stereotyped profession of interest in the working man, who, it says, must be protected from the low wages paid in Europe by perpetuating the protective tariff, and its insincere declaration in favor reciprocity, by which the makers of that platform hope to dodge both the tariff question and the Trust question. Its meanness consisted in reviving sectionalism, by injecting the negro suffrage question into national politics. On this topic the platform declares as follows:

"We denounce all attempts to deprive of their inalienable rights millions of our fellow-citizens in certain States of the Union. We therefore call upon our Senators and Representatives in Congress for such legislation as shall secure the strict enforcement of constitutional measures guaranteeing to every citizen the right of franchise without distinction as to race, color or previous condition of servitude. And we demand that representation in Congress and the Electoral College shall be based on the actual voting population as provided in the Constitution, proportionate reduction being made for any State in which the right of suffrage is denied except for crime."

The general impression is that this plank was inspired by Senator Foraker, who in his speech sounded the "keynote of the campaign." Mark Hanna, chairman of the convention, said in his speech that the coming election in that State was really of more national than State importance and consequently the platform is more of a national than a State platform. Perhaps this declaration on the negro question is the "keynote," the issue on which they propose to conduct the campaign.

Foraker is not over friendly to McKinley because Hanna has the pull and he is compelled to play second fiddle to Mark. Hence it is surmised that he may have sprung this issue to embarrass McKinley who has been coquetting so much with the South and discoursing so volubly on the wiping out of sectional lines and sectional issues. As Mr. McKinley is a loyal Republican he will, of course, be expected to amble up and stand by his State platform whether it embarrasses him or not. But how do they propose to do all this, to "secure the strict enforcement of constitutional measures guaranteeing to every citizen the right of franchise without distinction as to race, color or previous condition of servitude"?

They tried that when the Republican party was stronger than it is now and when the voters in the North took a great deal more interest in that question and were much more united on it than they are now. Of course they do not expect to do it now, for they know they can't, and, therefore, this part of the declaration amounts to nothing, except as a prelude to what follows, in which the demand is made that representation in Congress and the electoral college rest on suffrage and not on population.

There are two objects in thus reviving that question, which was not touched in the platforms of 1896 or 1900. One is to revive sectional prejudice and thus divert attention from the tariff and Trusts, both of which the Republican party managers want to let alone, and the other is to humbug the negro voters in Northern States into the belief that the Republican party is standing by the negro and either intends to enforce his "constitutional rights" or punish the States which deprives the negroes of their franchise.

If they were level headed enough to see through tricks like this they might ask how it comes that the Republican politicians who have been so long silent while the negroes were being disfranchised in Southern States, should wake up at this late day, after disfranchisement had made so much progress, to vocalise their protest and denounce the great "wrong."

After the party leaders saw that their party could not with negro votes carry any of the Southern States and that they need not look for any electoral votes from this section they lost all interest in the Southern negro as a voter and have lately turned their attention to building up a white Republican party in the South, which some of them, at least, think will be facilitated and expedited by the elimination of the negro from Southern politics.

The probabilities are that if they were not apprehensive of danger from the tariff and Trust issues they would not have revived this question at this time, but the position taken on the Trust question by Representative Babcock, who has a pretty strong following, gives them trouble and hence they are trying to subordinate that to the negro question. If they can succeed in stirring up feeling on that they hope to make the rank and file, many of whom are with Mr. Babcock, forget the Trusts and the tariff, which will give place to the "wrongs" of the man and brother, the protege of the Republican party. If it were not for this they would doubtless go right along giving encouragement to the efforts to build up a white Republican party in the South, although it might wear a disguise and call itself by some other name. Of course, if they stir up the sectional issue it will operate against the new party movement, for the gentlemen who are making themselves active and prominent in that cannot very well carry on their work under such circumstances.

But Mr. Foraker and the schemers who are with him will have a lively time in securing from Congress the legislation which this plank calls for. If they could swap restricted suffrage in the South for restricted representation in Congress and in the electoral college, there would be very little yawping about the "rights" of the negro.

CHINESE EXCLUSION.

An effort will be made when Congress meets to repeal or modify the Geary Chinese Exclusion act, which expires by limitation next year. Some prominent Chinamen are taking an active part in this movement and are preparing memorials which will be circulated for signatures. Tchow Tiszch, the Chinese consul at New York, who is taking great interest in this movement, is thus quoted:

"It is certainly very true that a movement is under way to secure the repeal of the objectionable Chinese exclusion act, which expires next year. My people wish the same privileges as people from other foreign countries. We are not barbarians and do not come to the United States to commit crimes, although Chinese laborers come from the very lowest class in China. My people like this country very much and feel that they have been misunderstood. They want to settle here, cut their hair, as I have done, and adopt American customs.

"As is now, they have no right to become citizens. It is a very great hindrance in a commercial way. They cannot settle down permanently and become taxpayers and property owners as can the Hungarians, Poles, Germans, Japanese or Irish. Yet your exclusion laws only partially exclude. They keep out the reputable class, who would not come into the country by underhand methods. Every time I go into the Chinese quarter I see many new faces. How do they get here? They have ways of getting past the expensive chain of customs and Chinese officials which your government keeps along the boundaries. With the exclusion act repealed, this expensive service would be entirely done away with.

"There are many parts of your country which are unsettled and a great deal of land that Americans can never cultivate with profit."

There is nothing new in this save the admission that this movement is on foot; all the rest of it is old. The fact that Chinamen can be found in all our cities and are steadily increasing in numbers, is proof that the exclusion does not effectively exclude those who are determined to get in, for if they cannot run the blockade of the custom houses there is a long stretch of border on the Canadian and Mexican boundaries over which lots of them make their way. But the number that thus get in is small in comparrison to the multitude that would come if there were not prohibitory enactments.

The Geary act may be modified, but it will not be repealed. It may be so modified as to open the door of the Philippines and Hawaii to them, for syndicates will favor that but the political leaders are not going to invite the antagonism of the Pacific States by letting down the bars and giving the Chinese hordes full swing at them. The same political considerations that put the exclusion act on the statute books will keep it there. This is indicated by the plank in reference to it in the Republican platform recently adopted in Ohio in which it is declared that the American workman must be protected from competition with Asiatic cheap labor.

Ten years ago the total appropriated by the Legislature of Pennsylvania to pay State officers, clerks and employes of the State departments, and incidental expenses was $559,490. It takes $1,187,232 to do it now. Pennsylvania is one of the good Republican States where they have been trying for some time to get a little reform.

Commissioner of Pensions Evans declines to oblige the pension attorneys and the G. A. R. by tendering his resignation. Gen. Sickles is with the p. a.'s and the G. A. R. and Mr. Evans reciprocates by publishing two or three letters from the General highly commending his administration of the office.

Speaker Henderson, of the House of Representatives, who is rusticating in England, had a half-hour chat with King Edward a few days ago and found him a very sociable, clever sort of fellow. Perhaps Edward was as favorably impressed by our esteemed Scotch-American fellow citizen.

As vaccination prevents smallpox, and quinine chills and fevers, so TEETHINA prevents and counteracts the effects of the summer's heat, much dreaded by mothers with small children. TEETHINA relieves the many troubles incident to teething and the hot summers, and no mother is excusable for not giving it, for it costs only 25 cents at druggists; or mail 25 cents to C. J. Moffett, M. D., St. Louis, Mo. †

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Laurinburg *Times*: The farmers say that the crops of this section are one half off this year on account of the heavy rains which have prevented their proper cultivation.

— Mount Olive *Advertiser*: A man by the name of Wise lost his life Monday at Grantham's saw mill. He fell across the saw and both his legs and arms cut off, he died before medical aid could be procured. He was the sawyer.

— Columbus *Times*: Crops are getting in a bad condition on account of the contined rains. —— Early peaches are rotting on the trees. No satisfactory reason has yet been given, but it is generally supposed to be caused by the sting of an insect.

— Winston *Sentinel*: On the 27th inst Sheriff Alspaugh received a telegram from J. W. Ball, Chief of Police at Atlanta, Ga., enquiring of Pink Fulton was wanted here for murder and requesting a full description. Today Sheriff Alspaugh received a letter with two excellent photographs of a man they had arrested but every one that has seen them says it is not Fulton. The man goes under the name of C. F. Smith alias Frank Armstrong alias Fred Fulton.

— Newbern *Journal*: Upon complaint of F. N. Davis, postoffice inspector of this district, Jas. M. Moore' late postmaster at Tuscarora, Craven county, was arrested Friday by U. S Deputy Marshal John Thompson, charged with violating section 4043, revised statutes of the United States—embezzling money order funds—while postmaster. Moore waived examination before U. S. Commissioner Chas. B. Hill on Saturday, and giving bond in the sum of $500 for his appearance at the next term of the United States District Court was discharged from custodh.

— Lumberton *Robesonian*: Crop prospects are brighter than a week ago. The warm, dry weather of the past few drys has enabled our farmers to do much towards cleaning out the grass, and most of them have used the opportunity to advantage. —— Mr. Archie Bracy died suddenly at his home, near Rowland, Tuesday evening about 6 o'clock. He had been at work in the field near the house and went to the well to get a drink of water, after which he sat down on the steps. He was taken ill suddenly and died before assistance could be summoned. Mr. Bracy was about 64 years old, and was one of the most hrominent and respected citizens of pis community.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— General Cailles is said to have wept bitterly when he surrendered. Perhaps he was thinking of the difference in the price received by Aguinaldo.—*Atlanta Journal, Dem.*

—— The little "hog combines" in iron and steel production are rapidly running to cover—as witness the movement at Pittsburg to form a new and consolidated association of manufacturers of rolling mill machinery. All of these concerns, it should be noted, are under a bonded contract with the mammoth Steel Trust to supply none of their output of machinery to independent rolling mills. The Trust doesn't stifle competition—oh, no!—*Philadelphia, Record, Dem.*

—— The Kansas City Southern Railway Company is about to establish lines of steamers to ply between Port Arthur, Texas, and South America and Europe on one hand, and ports on the Atlantic coast of Mexico and the United States on the other. Here's another practical rebuke to Senator Hanna, who keeps on saying that it is impossible to encourage the increase of the American merchant marine without subsidies; but is Hanna capable of appreciating it?—*Brooklyn Citizen, Dem.*

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—30 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—8 casks spirits turpentine, 76 barrels rosin, 25 barrels tar, 53 barrels crude turpentine.

C. C. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine, 18 barrels rosin, 19 barrels tar, 11 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—5 casks spirits turpentine, 1 barrel tar

W. & N. Railroad—3 casks spirits turpentine, 74 barrels rosin, 28 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Croesus—11 casks spirits turpentine, 25 barrels rosin, 8 barrels tar.

Steamer A. J. Johnson—34 casks spirits turpentine, 50 barrels rosin, 15 barrels tar.

Steamer Driver—10 casks spirits turpentine, 54 barrels rosin, 80 barrels tar, 82 barrels crude turpentine.

Sch. Argyle—14 casks spirits turpentine, 55 barrels rosin.

Total—Spirits turpentine, 87 casks; rosin, 352 barrels; tar, 148 barrels; crude turpentine, 204 barrels.

MARINE DIRECTORY

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., July 2, 1901.

SCHOONERS.

George Dudley, 387 tons, Chase, by master.

Jno F Kranz, 520 tons, Donald, J A Springer & Co.

Nokomis, 345 tons, Sawyer, J T Riley & Co.

Fred B Balano, 224 tons, Bryant, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Sylvia C Hall, 347 tons, Falkenburg, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Gem, 489 tons, Gray, George Harriss, Son & Co.

BARQUES.

Albatross, 491 tons, Rasmussen, Heide & Co.

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It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call on R. R. BELLAMY, Druggist, and get a 10c trial bottle. Regular size 50c. and $1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded. †

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Refunding Collateral Trust Five Per Cent. Ten-Year Old Bonds.

Part of a total authorized issue of $10,000,000 (of which $2,000,000 are reserved to retire an equal amount outstanding of Collateral Trust Five Per Cent. Gold Bonds maturing October 1, 1902), to be secured by the deposit with the Trustee of $20,000,000 First Mortgage Fifty-Year Four Per Cent. Gold Bonds of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, which latter bonds are selling in the open market at about 85.

Principal Payable May 1, 1911.

Interest payable semi-annually on May 1st and November 1st in the City of New York.

Principal and interest payable in gold coin of the United States of the present standard of weight and fineness, free of all taxes.

Coupon Bonds of $1,000 each, with provision for registration as to principal.

The entire issue (but not any part of the same) is subject to redemption at 105 and accrued interest on any half-yearly interest day on three months 'notice.

CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK, **Trustee.**

A considerable part of the above bonds having been placed, subscriptions for the balance will be received at 102 and accrued interest to date of payment, at which price, if not redeemed before maturity, they will net about 4¼ per cent. upon the investment.

The subscription list will be opened at ten o'clock A. M. on Friday, the 5th of July, 1901, and closed at 3 P. M., or earlier on the same day; the right is reserved to reject any applications and to allot a smaller amount than applied for. Payment on allotments to be made on or before Thursday, the 11th of July, 1901, at which time interim certificates will be ready for delivery. It is expected that the engraved bonds will be ready within thirty days thereafter.

Copies of the trust agreement, which has been prepared by Messrs. Guthrie, Cravath & Henderson, may be obtained at the offices of the bankers.

Application will be made to list these bonds on the New York Stock Exchange.

Reference is made to the following letter from Mr. Jno. Skelton Williams, President of the Railway. Copies of the more exhaustive letter to which Mr. Williams refers may be obtained at the offices of the bankers.

NEW YORK, June 29, 1901.

MESSRS. VERMILYE & CO.,
AND
MESSRS. HALLGARTEN & CO.,
NEW YORK.

DEAR SIRS:

With reference to the $10,000,000 Seaboard Air Line Railway Refunding Collateral Trust Five Per Cent. Ten-Year Gold Bonds which you recently purchased from this Company, I beg to state that these bonds are to be secured by a deposit of $20,000,000 First Mortgage Fifty Year Four Per Cent. Gold Bonds of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, due April 1st, 1950, to be held in trust by the Central Trust Company of New York, Trustee.

Of the $10,000,000 Refunding Collateral Trust Bonds, $2,000,000 will be reserved to take up the $2,000,000 Seaboard Air Line Railway 5 Per Cent Collateral Trust Bonds, due October 1, 1902. The proceeds of the remaining $8,000,000 will be used:

(a) For the immediate retirement of the $3,400,000 six per cent. certificates of indebtedness, due March 26, 1902, which are redeemable at the pleasure of the company at any time on sixty days' notice, and which will be called at once.
(b) To pay for a one-sixth interest in the Richmond Washington Company controlling the road from Washington, D. C., to Richmond, Va., 114 miles.
(c) To pay the installments maturing prior to 1906 under all car and equipment trusts.
(d) To pay a floating debt and other liabilities of the System, and
(e) To provide a fund of at least $1,000,000 for additions and improvements.

Upon the issuance of the $8,000,000 refunding bonds and the redemption of the 6 per cent. certificates, the annual interest on outstanding bonds (exclusive of the bonds owned by the Seaboard Air Line Railway or its constituent companies) and the rentals of the System will be as follows:

Interest on underlying bonds on the several divisions of the System*	$1,470,400
Rentals	43,500
Interest on $12,775,000 First Mortgage 4's	511,000
Interest on $2,500,000 Collateral Trust 5's, 1909	100,000
Interest on $8,000,000 Refunding Collateral 5's	400,000
	$2,524,900

*The Company has outstanding $2,143,887 Car Trusts, maturing at various dates, from January 1st, 1902, to July 1st, 1913, the interest on which will be charged against income.

The total authorized issue of First Mortgage 4's is		$75,000,000
There are issued	$32,775,000	
(of which amount $20,000,000 will be deposited as collateral against $10,000,000 Refunding Collateral Trust 5's).		
Reserved for underlying bonds	29,725,000	
Issuable only after July 1, 1903, for additional properties, improvements, extensions, etc., at not exceeding $1,500,000 per annum for four years, and 1,000,000 per annum thereafter	12,500,000	
		$75,000,000

EARNINGS

Notwithstanding the drawbacks attendant upon beginning the operation of the System as a whole, the business of the System for the eleven months ending May 31, 1901 (one month approximated) shows gross earnings of $10,008,773, against $8,501,936 for the same period in the preceding year, an increase of $1,506,837, or 13.7 per cent. The growth since January 1, 1901, has greatly exceeded previous records, as the following statement will demonstrate:

STATEMENT FROM JANUARY 1ST TO APRIL 30TH.

	1901.	1900.	Increase.	
Mileage	2,600	2,358	242 miles	10 2 per cent.
Gross Earnings	$3,906,330	$3,257,400	$648,930	18.7 "
Operating Expenses and Taxes	2,624,563	2,409,650	214,913	9. "
Net Earnings	$1,281,667	$877,750	$403,917	46. "

Net Earnings, four months ending April 30, 1901		$1,281,667
Interest on outstanding Bonds	$761,500	
Interest on Car Trusts and other interest	49,164	
Rentals	14,500	$826,164
Surplus		$455,503

Within the next few weeks it is expected that the necessary final action will be taken to vest in the Seaboard Air Line Railway by consolidation, or merger, or purchase, 1,216 miles of road, which include all lines in the System north of Savannah and east of Atlanta, except the Seaboard and Roanoke Railroad, 81 miles, from Portsmouth, Va., to Weldon, N. C. The Seaboard Air Line Railway owns more than ninety-two and one half per cent. of the stock of the latter company, which is deposited with the Trustee under its first mortgage.

On the completion of the consolidation above mentioned, the first mortgage 4 per cent. bonds of the Company will be secured by a first and only mortgage on some 320 miles of railroad, including 102 miles of main line from Richmond to Ridgeway and 108 miles from Hamlet to Columbia (subject only to $145,000, prior to lien bonds on two branches), and also by a direct mortgage on the whole 1,216 miles of consolidated road, subject only to prior lien outstanding bonds thereon, not exceeding $12,748,000 (or an average of $10,500 per mile). The roads upon which these 4 per cent. bonds will thus become a direct lien include the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad, the Raleigh and Augusta Railroad, the Carolina Central Railroad, the Georgia, Carolina and Northern Railroad, the South Bound Railroad, the Palmetto Railroad, and several less important lines.

In conclusion, I wish to say that I have every reason to believe that such results that have been attained in the past are not a measure of the future possibilities of the property, and it is my confident expectation that the recent appointment as Vice-President and General Manager of Mr. J. M. Barr, who assumed charge on May 1st last, will result in establishing the property and service of the road upon the high plane of excellence which has characterized the other important railroads with which he has been heretofore connected, and that with the changes of management and the consolidation, physically and otherwise, of the several properties which comprise the System, and with additional new capital as provided, the property will reach a still higher state of efficiency, and that the earnings of the System in the not distant future will exceed $13,000,000 per annum, while the ratio of operating expenses should be less than 66 per cent.

For further details, I beg to refer you to the more exhaustive letter which I have written you under to-day's date.

Yours very truly,

RICHMOND, June 15, 1901. (Signed) JNO. SKELTON WILLIAMS, President.

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GENTLEMEN—I have, at your request, examined the properties constituting the system of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, and also the accounts of that Company, and I concur in the statements made by President Williams in the foregoing letter.

Yours very truly,

46 WALL STREET, NEW YORK, June 27, 1901 (Signed), JOHN SCOTT.

NOTICE.

Having qualified as executrix of the late Sarah L. Nutt, all persons having claims against her estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly itemized and sworn to, to the undersigned on or before the first day of June, 1902, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make payment to the undersigned. MARY E. MCFARLAND,
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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing of the Produce Exchange.]

STAR OFFICE, July 1.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at 95c per barrel bid for strained and $1.00 per barrel bid for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market firm at $1.25 per barrel for hard, $2.20 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 43@42½c; rosin steady at $1.05@1.10; tar steady at $1.40; crude turpentine quiet at $1.60@2.60.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	87
Rosin	352
Tar	148
Crude turpentine	204

Receipts same day last year—110 casks spirits turpentine, 292 bbls rosin, 57 bbls tar, 132 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 7¾c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	5 7-16 cts ₩ lb
Good ordinary	6 11-16 " "
Low middling	7 7-16 " "
Middling	7¾ " "
Good middling	8 1-16 " "

Same day last year middling nothing doing.

Receipts— — bales; same day last year, —

Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, quiet. Prime, 70c; extra prime, 75c per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 80c. Virginia—Prime, 80c; extra prime, 85c; fancy, 60c. Spanish, 75c.

CORN—Firm; 62 to 65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 12 to 13c per pound; shoulders, 8 to 10c; sides, 8 to 10c.

EGGS—Firm at 13½ to 14c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull. Grown, 22½ to 30c; springs, 10@20c

TURKEYS—Nothing doing.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 75c.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, July 1.—Money on call was firm at 6@12 per cent.; last loan at 6 per cent., ruling rate 8 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4@5¼ per cent. Sterling exchange easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487¾@487¾ for demand and 485¼@485¾ for 60 days. Posted rates were 486 and 488¼. Commercial bills 484¼@485. Silver certificates nominally 60. Bar silver 59¼. Mexican dollars 47¼. Government bonds steady. State bonds steady. Railroad bonds easier. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 107; U.S. refu'g 2's, coupon, 107 ex int.; U.S. 3's, reg'd, —; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 108¾; do. coupon, 108¾; U. S. 4's, new reg'd, 139; do. coupon, 139; U. S. 4's, old reg'd, 112½; do. coupon, ex int. 112½; U S. 5's, reg'd, 108¾; do. coupon, 108¾; Southern Railway 5's, 120. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 107¾; Chesapeake & Ohio 48¾; Manhattan L 124; N. Y. Central 157¾; Reading 45¾; do. 1st pref'd 79; do. 2nd pref'd 56¾; St. Paul 174¾; do. pref'd, 187½; Southern R'way 33¾; do. pref'd 87; Amalgamated Copper 122¾; American Tobacco 136¾; People's Gas 117¾; Sugar 144¾; T. C. & Iron 70; U. S. Leather 13¾; do pref'd, 78¾; Western Union 93; U. S Steel 48¾; do. preferred, 98; Mexican National 10¾; Standard Oil 770@775.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Rosin quiet. Spirits turpentine steady.

CHARLESTON, July 1.—Spirits turpentine firm at 34c Rosin firm and unchanged.

SAVANNAH July 1.—Spirits turpentine firm at 33½c; receipts 2,071 casks; sales 1,574 casks; exports 10 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 4,479 barrels; sales 761 barrels; exports 525 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, $1 05; D, $1 10; E, $1 15; F, $1 20; G, $1 25; H, $1 35; I, $1 50; K, $1 75; M, $2 25; N, $2 60; W. G, $2 90; W W, $3 20.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Cotton prices returned to the high level reached on the bulge of a week ago. Nearly every factor lined up on the bull side and from the start the attitude of shorts was defensive rather than offensive. The market opened firm and ten to fourteen points higher on very active buying for both accounts. The upward movement continued until August touched 8.05, October 7.69 and January 7.74, when there was a turn for profits and brisk selling by the room for a turn. Early in the afternoon there was a sharp reaction to 7.57 for October and to 7.62 for January under talk of rains in Texas and rumors that the South was preparing to sell in our market and later deliver the cotton. But an official forecast from Washington for continued dry weather generally to night and to-morrow in Texas once more started shorts on the retreat and prompted liberal buying all along the line. The dominating influence here was an advance of seven to seven and a half points at Liverpool. The bulls were encouraged by the special report of the *Journal of Commerce*, showing the present crop conditions to be 77 per cent. of perfect, as against 87.7 last month. Ravages by boll weevil, cut worms, sharp shooters and other insects in the Southwest were said to be reaching alarming proportions. The South Atlantic States complained of further soaking rains, scarcity of labor and a very backward condition. Near the close a hasty turn for profits caused prices to settle rapidly. The market was finally easy with prices net three to nine points higher.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Cotton dull; middling uplands 8¼c.

Cotton futures market closed easy: July 8.66, August 7.92, September 7.66, October 7.59, November 7.56, December 7.39, January 7.62, February 7.62, March 7.65.

Spot cotton closed dull, ½-16c higher; middling uplands 8¼c; middling gulf 9¼c; sales 29,586 bales.

Net receipts 300 bales; gross receipts 4,367 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,403 bales; exports to the Continent 200 bales; stock 164,552 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 6,900 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,403 bales; exports to the Continent 200 bales; stock 446,925 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 18,694 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,061 bales; exports to the Continent 200 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 7,283,794 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,907,269 bales; exports to France 707,137 bales; exports to the Continent 2,430,803 bales.

July 1.—Galveston, steady at 8 5-16c, net receipts 2,766 bales; Norfolk, steady at 8¼c, net receipts 687 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 8 11-16c, net receipts — bales; Boston, dull at 8 3 16c, net receipts 133 bales; Wilmington, firm at 7¾c, net receipts 30 bales; Philadelphia, firm at 9¼c, net receipts 69 bales; Savannah, steady at 8 3 16c, net receipts 2,061 bales; New Orleans, firm at 8¾c, net receipts 834 bales; Mobile, nominal at 8½c, net receipts 13 bales; Memphis, steady at 8¼c, net receipts 235 bales; Augusta, firm at 8¾c, net receipts 198 bales; Charleston, steady at 8¼c, net receipts 7 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Flour was steady and nominally lower. Wheat—Spot easier; No. 2 red 74½c; options closed weak at ½@⅝c net decline; sales included: July closed 72½c; September closed 71¾c; October closed 72½c; December closed 73½c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 48¼c. The option market closed easy at ½@⅝c net advance: July closed 48¼c; September 49¼c; October 49½c. Oats—Spot dull; No. 2, 32¾c; options inactive and barely steady. Lard easy; Western steamed $7 80; refined easy; continent $8 00; South American $8 65; compound 7c. Pork steady. Petroleum dull. Coffee—Spot Rio dull; No. 7 invoice 6 1-16c; mild steady; Cordova 8¼@12¾. Sugar—Raw steady to firm; fair refining 3 9 16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 7-32c; refined steady. Rice steady. Cheese easy; fancy large white 9¼c; fancy small white 9¼c. Eggs firm; State and Pennsylvania 14@15¾c. Potatoes quiet; New York, 110 lbs., $2 25; Southern extra, per barrel, $2 50. Peanuts quiet; fancy handpicked 4¾@5c; other domestics 4¼@4¾c. Cabbage steady; Norfolk, per barrel, 50@75c; per barrel crate 50c@$1 00. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 10c. Cotton seed oil neglected and more or less nominal at old quotations. Market closed: Prime crude in barrels nominal; prime summer yellow 38c; off summer yellow 36½c; prime white 40@43c; prime winter yellow 41c; prime meal $24 00@25 00.

CHICAGO, June 1.—Continued hot weather throughout the Southwest caused excitement in the corn pit today at the opening and a grand scramble to buy ensued. The opening figures on September ranged between 48¼ and 48½@¾ to 2½@2¾c higher than Saturday's close, but later on reports of rain in Kansas the market assumed a more rational tone and the close was ⅛c higher. September wheat closed ⅛c lower, Oats were ⅛@¼c higher, while provisions were five to ten points lower.

CHICAGO, July 1.—Cash quotations: Flour quiet. Wheat—No. 3 spring —c; No. 3 spring 62@65½c; No. 2 red 66¼@66¾c. Corn—No. 2 44½c; No. 2 yellow 44½c. Oats—No. 2 29½c; No. 2 white 30¾@31¼c; No. 3 white 29¼@31c. Rye—No. 2 48@49c. Mess pork, per barrel, $14 55@14 60. Lard, per 100 lbs, $8 60@8 62½. Short rib sides, loose, $7 90@8 10. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $7 12½@7 25. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 35@8 45. Whiskey—Distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1 27

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July 65¾@65¾, 66¼, 64¾, 64¾c; September 66¾@66¾, 67, 65¾, 65¾c; December 68¾, 68¾, 67¼, 67½c. Corn—No. 2 July 44½@46¾, 46¾, 44¼@44¾, 44¾c; September 46¾@48, 48, 46¼, 46¾c; December 45¾@47¼, 47⅞, 44¾, 44¾c. Oats—No. 2 July 27½@28, 28, 28¾, 27; September 27¾@27¾, 28, 27¼, 27¾@27¾c; May 30, 30¼, 29¼, 29¾. Pork, per bbl—July $14 55, 14 55, 14 55, 14 55; September $14 85, 14 85, 14 87½, 14 75. Lard, per 100 lbs—July $8 67½, 8 67½, 8 57½, 8 60; September $8 75, 8 75, 8 65, 8 67½; October $8 70, 8 70, 8 62½, 8 65. Short ribs per 100 lbs—July $8 00, 8 00, 8 00, 8 00; September $8 15, 8 15, 8 10, 8 12½; October $8 07½, 8 07¾, 8 05, 8 05.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, July 1, 4 P. M.—Cotton: Spot, moderate business; prices 1-32d higher; American middling fair 5 7-32d; good middling 4 31 32d; middling 4 23-32d; low middling 4½d; good ordinary 4¼d; ordinary 4d. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 6,400 bales American. Receipts 4,000 bales, all American.

Futures opened and closed very steady; American middling (l. m. c.) July 4 40 64d buyer; July and August 4 39-64d buyer; August and September 4 33-64d value; September 4 33 64d seller; October (g. o. c.) 4 19 64@4 20 64d seller; October and November 4 16 64@4 17-64d seller; November and December 4 14 64@4 15 64d seller; February and March 4 15 64d seller; March and April 4 15 64@4 16 64d seller.

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THE GAME WAS LOST.

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The Ignominious Downfall of the Lightfoot Lilies' Club Mascot When In an Ill Advised Moment They Told Him to Slide.

"Well, why is it you never played baseball yourself?" asked a latter day fan of the very stout man sitting in the corner. "You say you were the mascot for the famous Lightfoot Lilies of Jones county, and yet, with the exception of the time that they put you in to force the winning run in the thirteenth by being hit in the stomach, you never seem to have played yourself. After such successful daring were you never asked to play again? I don't quite understand."

The stout man gazed at the speaker searchingly for a few minutes and then, apparently satisfied that the questions were asked in good faith, proceeded to unfold the one dark shadow in his otherwise sunny life.

"Have you never heard?" he began. "Then now you shall hear, and, though I think no blame should rest with me, you yourself shall judge of that. Listen. You have already referred to the contest in which I forced the winning run owing to the pitcher's inability to put the ball over the plate without striking my corporation. This, I believe, was due to a law of physics which states that but one body can occupy the same space at the same time or words to that effect. But, whatever the cause, I acquired a reputation for high class baseball second to none in Jones county and at once got a regular position on the team. My figure being my stock in trade, Captain Slugger Burrows of the Lightfoots spared no pains in bringing me to physical perfection before the next game with the Roarers. Under a carefully selected diet of beer, butter, lard, potatoes and cod liver oil I rapidly rose from a meager 320 pounds to the magnificent figure of 412.

"For the first eight innings of the great contest, which ultimately proved my downfall, I fully sustained my enviable reputation for artistic ball playing. Three times the bases were full, with the Roarers one run in the van. Three times I proved the Lightfoots' salvation by forcing the tieing run by means of my superior figure. Three times the home rooters vied with one another in futile attempts to pay me suitable homage. I was truly more than queen. And then that fatal ninth, with its brimful cup of gumless bitters! Four hundred and twelve pounds of shattered idol!

"In the last half of the ninth I reached first through my customary strategy. Later I succeeded in gaining third by a daring bit of base running while the Roarers' fielders were searching for 'Bull' Thompson's liner on the other side of the center field fence. Sammie Salmon and one of the Foote twins died easy deaths on infield pop flies. There we were: Ringtail Roarers, 17; Lightfoot Lilies, 16; two out, Thompson and yours truly on second and third bases respectively and the invincible 'Home Run' Hankins at the bat. All were breathless with suspense. The pitcher swung his arm back slowly, and then, swish, bang! 'Home Run' Hankins never missed his aim. I struggled bravely toward the plate, and in less time than it takes to tell it Thompson was at my back pushing violently. I doubled my efforts. A moment later Hankins himself caught up and joined in the single file struggle for home and victory. 'Twas do or die, and the people were like lunatics in their wild excitement. Spurred on by their cheers, I was soon but five feet from the plate, with Thompson and Hankins still dancing at my heels. Then suddenly a voice rose clearly above the others. 'Slide, Willie, slide!' it rang out. Oh, fatal words!"

At this point the fat ex-mascot was overcome by emotion and stopped short. It was some minutes before he could pull himself together sufficiently to go on with his sad story.

"Well," he said at last, "I slid. Diving gracefully forward, I slid a nicely calculated slide that brought my chest directly above the rubber. But the enthusiasm this occasioned among the Lilies was short lived.

"'Touch the plate, you fool; touch the plate!' 'Bull' Thompson and Hankins yelled together.

"Now, would you believe it, sir, try as I would I couldn't. My corporation had been overtrained. Lying face down, I was so high from the ground that my arms would not reach the plate.

"'Rock me!' I cried. 'Rock me!'

"'Rock you?' 'Bull' Thompson roared. 'Rock you? We'll rock you, stone you, egg you, and—touch that plate, d'ye hear?'

"'Rock me,' I pleaded, with tears in my eyes. 'You don't understand. Rock me like you would a rocking horse. Tilt me. I can't touch bottom.'

"'Twas too late. While I had been explaining my predicament to those blockheads, the Roarers' fielders found the ball, and—er—well, we lost. Afterward I told Captain Slugger Burrows how it happened and begged for just one more chance. No use. He said that any fool with my shape ought to have sense enough to slide on his back and that—but say, honest Injun, now, do you think I was in any way to blame?"—New York Sun.

Old Apothecaries and Doctors.

The offenses of apothecaries in the middle ages were numerous and the punishment in some cases a whipping. The worst was the improper sale of poisons—that is to say, except when not duly prescribed by a known physician of reputation, and even then not to put down in a register the name of the doctor and person to whom such prescription containing poison was delivered, was punishable likewise. The sale of poison for drugging fish was prohibited and also that of inferior drugs by any apothecary. To prescribe himself (unless a doctor could not be found) was an offense punishable by a whipping, and all preparations sold by him had to be made up in the presence of the doctor or of another apothecary. A barber surgeon might only prescribe for exterior applications "according to surgery," but we are not told what was the penalty in such a case.—Gentleman's Magazine.

Her Meanness.

An American hostess, on the occasion of a gathering of distinguished people, was endeavoring to add to the pleasure of a Frenchman by talking to him in his native language. Noticing that her lack of fluency was irksome to the lady and desiring to relieve her embarrassment, with praiseworthy amiability the foreigner said:

"Pardon, madame, somewhat the French is difficult for you. I am able to understand your mean-ness if you will speak English."—London Chronicle.

At the Finger's End.

"My niece," said the doctor, "has joined an organization they call the—the—strange I can't think of the name. I had it at my tongue's end a moment ago—oh, yes, I remember it now. They call it the Thimble club."

"Then you didn't have it at your tongue's end," objected the professor. "You had it at your finger's end."—Chicago Tribune.

TWINKLINGS.

— May—Charley Stubtoe is a good dancer in his way. Sue—Yes, and in everybody else's way.—*Philadelphia Record.*

— "Daubs has painted a dreadfully bad picture. What shall I say about it?" "You can *safely* say it is full of individuality."—*Tit Bits.*

It is said that Kipling travelled a thousand miles to write that South African poem; but he got a dollar a mile for it.—*Atlanta Constitution.*

— "Did you ever notice what a supercilliious expression Upnose has?" "Yes. He looks like a Chicago man visiting the Buffalo Exposition."—*Life.*

— Mrs. Goodly—Goodness! How that little child swears. Little Girl—Well, wouldn't yer swear, yerself, mum, if yer'd missed yer Sunday school picnic by jest five minutes!—*Puck.*

After the Sermon: He—"I couldn't make out what he was driving at, could you?" She—"Not very well; but how clever he must be to understand it all himself!"—*Brooklyn Life.*

— A Chance for Him: "Ah! sighed the ambitious young poet, "I long to do some great service for American letters." "Why not stop writing?" suggested Miss Kendor.—*Philadelphia Press*

"What did you say the sinking fund was for?" asked the new director of the treasurer

To meet the floating debt," replied the latter.—*Pittsburg Chronicle Telegraph.*

— Host—So sorry you have to be going. Guest—Indeed, I am, too. By the way, I'm not sure about my train. It's nine something, but—— Host's Eldest—It's 9:32. Pa said he hoped you'd take that one.—*Philadelphia Record.*

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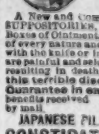

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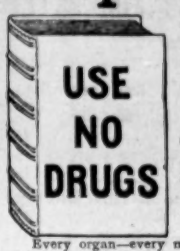

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TRAIN 41	Leaves Wilmington at 3:05 P. M., arrives Lumberton 5:20 P. M., Pembroke 5:45 P. M., Maxton 6:15 P. M., Hamlet 7:18 P. M., Charlotte 10:15 P. M.	
TRAIN 38	Leaves Charlotte 5:00 A. M., Hamlet at 8:10 A. M., arrives Maxton 8:52 A. M., Pembroke 9:30 A. M., Lumberton 9:44 A. M., Wilmington 12:05 noon.	

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	10.50 p m	7.20 a m
Ar Monroe	12.20 a m	9.05 a m
Ar Charlotte	....	10.01 a m
Ar Chester	1.42 a m	10.39 a m
Ar Greenwood	3.40 a m	12.27 p m
Ar Athens	6.28 a m	2.40 p m
Ar Atlanta	8.00 a m	3.55 p m

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Lv Hamlet	10.50 p m	7.20 a m
Ar Columbia	1.05 a m	10.35 a m
Ar Savannah	4.52 a m	1.47 p m
Ar Jacksonville	9.15 a m	6.10 p m
Ar Tampa	5.40 p m	6.15 a m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10.15 p m	8.00 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.04 a m	10.37 a m
Ar Norfina	3.18 a m	12.23 p m
Ar Portsmouth	7.00 a m	5.50 p m
Ar Norfolk	....	....
Lv Hamlet	10.35 p m	8.00 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.24 a m	10.37 a m
Ar Norfina	3.18 a m	12.23 p m
Ar Petersburg	5.45 a m	2.45 p m
Ar Richmond	6.32 a m	3.31 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	7.05 p m
Ar Baltimore	11.25 a m	11.25 p m
Ar New York	4.25 p m	5.30 a m

Train 38 leaving Hamlet at 8.10 a. m. takes passengers from train 31, leaving New York at 12.55 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 6.55 p. m.; Richmond 10.40 p. m.; Portsmouth 9.30 p. m.; Norfolk 9.30 p. m.; Raleigh 4.10 a. m.; arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 38, leaving Atlanta 8.00 p. m.; Athens 11.20 p. m.; Chester 4.10 a. m.; Charlotte 5.30 a. m.; Monroe 6.05 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.40 a. m.

From train 40 leaving Jacksonville 3.55 p. m.; Savannah 11.45 p. m.; Columbia 3.30 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.40 a. m.

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Atlantic Coast Line R. R. Co.

Schedule in Effect June 9, 1901.

DEPARTURES FROM WILMINGTON—NORTH BOUND.

DAILY 9.05 A M — No. 43—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.59 A. M., Warsaw 11.18 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P. M., Wilson 1.19 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.48 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M., Weldon 4.40 P. M., Petersburg 6.38 P. M., Richmond 7.53 P. M., Norfolk 8.55 P. M., Washington 11.05 P. M. Baltimore 1.03 A. M., Philadelphia 3.50 A. M., New York 6.53 A. M., †Boston 3.00 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M. — No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.59 P. M., Warsaw 9.43 P. M., Goldsboro 9.27 P. M., Wilson 1.30 P. M., †Tarboro 6.46 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.22 P. M., Weldon 1.30 A. M., †Norfolk 10.35 A. M., Petersburg 3.40 A. M., Richmond 5.20 A. M., Washington 7.01 A. M., Baltimore 8.30 A. M., Philadelphia 10.58 A. M. New York 1.00 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 3.35 P. M — No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY 3.45 P. M. — No. 53—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.58 P. M., Chadbourn 5.30 P. M., Marion 6.40 P. M., Florence 7.25 P. M., Sumter 9.12 P. M., Columbia 10.35 P. M., Denmark 3.50 A. M., Augusta 7.55 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.25 P. M. Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 2.45 A. M., Jacksonville 8.50 A. M., St. Augustine 10.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M

WEST BOUND.

DAILY 9.00 A. M. — No. 53—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.06 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.20 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.40 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 6.00 P. M. — No. 42—Passenger—Leave Boston *1.00 P. M., New York *5.00 P. M., Philadelphia 10.00 A. M., Baltimore 2.35 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 9.05 A. M., Petersburg 9.45 A. M., Norfolk 2.00 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.21 P. M. Rocky Mount 12.50 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.30 P. M., Warsaw 4.09 P. M., Magnolia 4.55 P. M.

DAILY 9.25 A. M — No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 10 night, New York 5.05 A. M., Philadelphia 11.32 A. M., Baltimore 1.40 P. M., Washington 3.12 P. M., Richmond 6.05 P. M., Petersburg 7.40 P. M., †Norfolk 2.05 P. M., Weldon 9.10 P. M., †Tarboro 6.00 P. M., Rocky Mount 8.15 A. M. Leave Wilson 5.37 A. M., Goldsboro 6.45 A. M., Warsaw 7.39 A. M., Magnolia 7.51 A. M.

DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. — No. 51—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.00 A. M., Jacksonville 10.35 A. M.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 1.25 P. M — No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.00 A. M., Sanford 2.30 P. M., Jacksonville 8.00 P. M., Savannah 12.05 A. M., Charleston 6.45 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M. Macon 9.00 A. M., Augusta 2.50 P. M., Denmark 4.00 P. M., Columbia 6.40 A. M., Sumter 8.06 P. M., Florence 9.55 A. M., Marion 10.35 A. M., Chadbourn 11.41 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.12 A. M

EAST BOUND.

DAILY 7.25 P. M. — No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 3.05 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 4.30 P. M., leave Fayetteville 4.50 P. M.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.10 A. M. Maxton 9.05 A. M., Red Springs 9.32 A. M., Parkton 10.06 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 11.10 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.45 P. M., Hope Mills 5.00 P. M., Red Springs 5.43 P. M., Maxton 6.16 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.15 P. M.

Connections at Fayetteville with No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10.18 A. M., arrives Richmond 11.10 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 P. M., Halifax 4.17 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 5.08 P. M., Greenville 6.57 P. M., Kinston 7.58 P. M. Returning, leave Kinston 7.50 A. M., Greenville 8.52 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.18 A. m., Weldon 11.33 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 6.10 A. M. and 1.30 P. M.; arrive Parmele 9.10 A. M. and 4.00 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.50 A. M. and 5.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 11 00 A. M and 7.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.30 P. M.; Sunday, 4.18 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 7.40 P. M. and 6.10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.50 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 10.10 A. M. and 11.00 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro daily except Sunday 5.10 A. M., arriving Smithfield 6.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.00 A. M., arrives at Goldsboro 8.25 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 2.40 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.30 A. M., 4.03 P. M., Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.25 P. M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 11.30 A. M., 4.55 P. M., Nashville 11.45 A. M., 5.25 P. M. arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M. 6.00 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, 7.45 A. M. and 4.28 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 8.45 A. M. and 10 P. M

Train leaves Fee Dee 10.13 A. M., arrive Latta 10.31 A. M., Dillon 10.42 A. M., Lumber 10.58 A. M. Returning, leaves Rowland 6.10 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.31 P. M. Latta 6.44 P. M., Fee Dee 7.08 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Chadbourn 11.50 A. M. arrive Conway 1.30 P. M. returning leave Conway 2.40 P. M. arrive Chadbourn 5.20 P. M. leave Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Elrod 8.10 A. M., returning leave Elrod 8.40 A. M. arrive Chadbourn 11.25 A. M. Daily except Sunday

Trains leave Sumter 4.23 P. M., Manning 5.06 P. M.; arrive Lane's 6.17 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.37 A. M., Manning 9.17 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.51 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 8.40 A. M., 7.00 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 10 A. M., *8.00 P. M.; leave Georgetown 6.30 A. M., *4.18 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.00 A. M.; *5.58 P. M.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 9.00 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.18 A. M., Hartsville 9.18 P. M., Cheraw 11.00 A. M., Wadesboro 12.38 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 5.00 P. M.; arrive Darlington 6.28 P. M. Bennettsville 9.22 P. M., Gibson 10.28 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 9.50 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.18 A. M.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday at 6.15 A. M. Bennettsville 7.15 A. M.; arrive Darlington 8.15 A. M. Leave Darlington 8.36 A. M.; arrive Florence 9.15 A. M. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 4.10 P. M., Cheraw 5.15 P. M., Hartsville 7.36 A. M., Darlington 6.36 P. M.; arrive Florence 7.00 P. M. Leave Darlington 6.40 A. M., arrive Florence 9.15 A. M.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.59 P. M. 10.40 P. M., arrive Selma 3.45 P. M. 11.18 P. M., Smithfield 3.00 P. M., Dunn 3.40 P. M. Fayetteville 4.25 P. M., 12.30 A. M., Rowland 6.00 P. M., returning leave Rowland 10.55 A. M., Fayetteville 12.30 P. M., 10.30 P. M., Dunn 1.04 P. M., Smithfield 1.43 P. M. Selma 1.50 P. M., 11.35 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.35 P. M. 12.12 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.02 A. M., Creston 4.55 A. M., arrive Denmark 5.40 A. M. Returning leave Denmark 4.20 P. M., Creston 5.15 P. M. Sumter 5.00 P. M. Daily.

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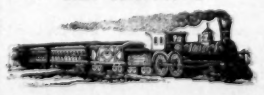

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Pass'g'r Trains		STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Pass'g'r Trains	
Arrive	Leave		Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 32	Kinston	10 18	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	9 27	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 50	7 57
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train

The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

TUESDAY MORNING, JULY 2

STEAMER "STARCROSS" AFLOAT.

Algonquin Assisted by Tugs Pulled Her Off Sunday--Proceeded to Newport News

The British steamship *Starcross*, 1,822 tons, Captain Milburn, laden with 4,000 bales cotton, phosphate rock and lumber, from Brunswick, Ga., to Bremen, Germany, which went on the shoals off Beaufort, N. C., several days ago, was floated by the revenue cutter *Algonquin*, assisted by several tugs, on high tide Sunday afternoon about 6 o'clock, and the steamer proceeded to Newport News without loss or damage to cargo. The *Algonquin* and the tug *Blanche* arrived home yesterday from the scene of the grounding and the tug *Marion* went to Beaufort for coal and provisions.

Capt. Willey and his clever staff of officers and crew of sailors did great service in saving the big vessel and have received merited praise from everywhere.

Saloon in Bankruptcy.

Messrs. Bellamy & Peschau, attorneys for certain Wilmington creditors, yesterday filed a petition in the U. S. Court asking that J. E Hinnant, proprietor of the Diamond Saloon on Front street, be adjudged an involuntary bankrupt. The aggregate amount of the claims is about $500, as follows: I. B. Rhodes, $45; Sol. Bear & Co., $65; J. S. R Hinnant, $240; William J. Bellamy, $60; George Harold, $35; H. J. Gerken, $15; C. O. Alexander, $65. July 6th is the date asked for the hearing by Referee S. H. MacRae. Mr. William J. Bellamy is counsel for the defendant, who is as well and favorably known as any saloon man in the city, and his attorney says that an investigation shows that his liabilities are about $1,800, assets $1,300, most of the latter being mortgaged to Strauss, Gunst & Co., and others.

Campbell Encampment Election.

The following officers of Campbell Encampment No. 1, I. O. O. F., were installed last night: P. C. P., J. T. King; C. P., H. W. Smith; S. W., C. C. Chadbourn; J. W., J. E. Wood; H. P., W. L. Smith; S , W. H. Howell; Treasurer, N. Jacobi; Guide., J. D. Webster; 1st W., B. J. Jacobs; 2nd W., F. P. Baldwin; 3rd W., J. T. Burke; 4th W., F. LeFella; 1st G. T., E. D. Craig; 2nd G. T., P. H. Murphy; I. S., Henry Johnson; C. S., W. G. T. Keen. Mr. J. T. King was elected Grand Representative and Mr. W. W. Yopp, alternate, to the Grand Encampment at Elizabeth City, August 13th.

Accidentally Shot.

Mr. Henry Suggs, of Delgado, who was recently married, was shot and perhaps fatally wounded Sunday afternoon by his young wife, who was toying with a pistol which she did not know was loaded The ball struck the young man on the right side of the head, knocked one of his eyes from its socket and lodged in the frontal bone above the nose. The young woman is almost overcome by grief at the sad accident.

About the Encampment.

Mr. F. A. Applegate was yesterday awarded the contract for the encampment buildings at Wrightsville and he will begin work at once, as the lumber was shipped down yesterday and Mr. Perry is making great progress clearing on the grounds. There will be three mess halls and twelve kitchens. The old pavilion will be used for officers' headquarters.

Notice to Mariners.

The following notice to Mariners has been issued by the U. S. Lighthouse Board, viz:

North Carolina—Cape Fear River to Wilmington—Notice is hereby given that on July 5th, 1901, Brunswick channel post light, red, No 6, Cape Fear River, will be moved to the opposite (westerly) side of the channel, about 525 feet N. W. by W., ½ W., of its present position. The color of the structure will be changed to black, numbered 13, and the light from red to white.

CAPTURED BY CHINESE.

Five Men Engaged in Looting a Town Fifty Miles From Pekin.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

PEKIN, July 1.—Five men calling themselves Americans were captured by Chinese troops in a town fifty miles from Pekin, and were to-day turned over to Major E. B. Robertson, commander of the United States legation guard here. The men were armed, and demanded five thousand taels from the keeper of a pawn shop and got five hundred. They filled five carts with plunder and then began shooting, not knowing that the town was occupied by one hundred Chinese troops. The United States legation was notified and the quintetta were brought in. All parts of Pekin occupied by the British for police purposes were turned over to day to the Chinese authorities. The foreign ministers will meet July 3d.

U. S. District Attorney Burnett says that no action would be taken by his office looking to the prosecution of officers of the Seventh National Bank of New York unless more evidence was forthcoming.

Red Hot From The Gun

Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It caused horrible Ulcers that no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Boils, Felons, Corns, Skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. 25 cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist.

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HOT WAVE COVERS WHOLE COUNTRY.

Eleven Boys Killed and One Injured by a Single Bolt of Lightning.

TERRIFIC THUNDER STORM.

Intense Heat in New York City Caused Many Deaths and Numerous Prostrations—Baltimore the Hottest Place in the United States.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 1.—To-day was the hottest first of July on record. At 3.10 P. M. the thermometer at the Weather Bureau office reached 98 degrees, one degree hotter than yesterday. The records show that in the thirty years preceding, on only two days in all that period has a higher temperature been reached. These were July 9, 1876, and July 3, 1898. On these three days the thermometer reached 99 degrees. The percentage of humidity to-day was only 89. After 3:10 a decline began until at 9 P. M., the thermometer registered 89. In the early morning hour there was what might be termed a slight breeze blowing, but during the early part of the afternoon the breeze died away and the city was baking in torrid heat. The suffering in the city, particularly in the crowded tenement house districts, was most intense. As the day grew the deaths and prostrations increased and although provision was made in all the hospitals for emergency, the authorities were scarcely able to cope with the great tax made on their resources. Up to 10 o'clock there were reported 38 deaths and 106 prostrations from the heat and the number was being swelled hourly. This covers the period from 2 o'clock A. M., and only for the boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx.

There were so many ambulance calls that the police were called on to supply patrol wagons, and every ambulance did double duty in responding to calls. Many patients were carried to the hospitals in cabs and carriages and several went to Bellevue and the Harlem hospitals in moving vans. The prevalance of the grip among the horses of the city also tended to militate against effective work. In many cases horses had to be obtained from contractors to draw patrol wagons and ambulances.

Although the Weather Bureau shows that the maximum was 98, this does not indicate the heat on the streets. Many thermometers registered 108 at 3:10 and all of them over 100 on the street level.

Boys Killed by Lightning.

CHICAGO, July 1.—Eleven boys were killed and another was probably fatally injured this afternoon by a single bolt of lightning. The victims were fishing in Lake Michigan at the foot of Montrose Boulevard, on the north side. The fatal bolt struck the pier where they were seated and all were thrown into the lake. Only one boy has so far recovered.

A policeman attracted to the pier by the crashing timbers found it impossible to rescue any of the victims. The heavy timbers of the pier had been shattered and the whole structure toppled into the water. He hurried to a patrol box and called for assistance. Nearly an hour elapsed before aid arrived. The work of recovering the bodies was extremely difficult, but were finally carried ashore. Owing to the terrific thunder storm prevalent the work of identification was extremely slow.

Oppressed by the extreme heat the boys had gone in bathing. When the rain began to fall and it became evident a severe electrical storm was coming, they rushed to a shelter they had built on the pier.

Willie Anderson, 12 years of age, was the only survivor of the shock, which followed a moment later. To the policemen he gave a bare idea of a horrible ending to a day's sport, and then fainted. He was carried to a near-by house where medical assistance was rendered.

The fatal stroke was the most powerful seen here in years. The pier was demolished in a trice, giving the boys not the slightest chance of escape. In age, the victims ranged from 12 to 25 years.

Baltimore the Hottest.

BALTIMORE, July 1.—According to the Weather Bureau reports, Baltimore was the hottest city in the United States to-day. The Weather Bureau thermometer recorded 80 degrees at 5 a. m. and from that hour the mercury steadily mounted upward until 102 was reached at noon. Up to 11 to-night, fourteen deaths and about 25 prostrations had been reported.

No Relief in Sight.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—The hot weather continued here to-day with unabated fierceness, the climax coming in the afternoon, when the local record for this early in the Summer was broken, the Weather Bureau thermometer recording a temperature of 102 degrees. Fortunately there was much humidity in the atmosphere. There were twenty cases of heat prostration reported and one resulted fatally. To-night the thermometer had fallen 90 degrees with every probability that it will not fall greatly below that during the night and to-morrow would be a scorcher. There seems to be no prospect for any relief for the next forty-eight hours for this vicinity. Beyond that length of time the Weather Bureau officials make no predictions.

102 at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, July 1.—Philadelphia and vicinity to day experienced the highest temperature ever recorded in this city, the government thermometer on the top of the Postoffice building 170 feet from the street, registering 102 degrees even. At Cramp's ship yard the prostrations were so numerous that the mem employed there were relieved from further duty at noon.

At Baldwin Locomotive works, the Midvale steel works, and numerous of other places scores of heat sufferers had to be treated.

HOTEL FIRE.

Allenhurst Inn On the Jersey Coast Destroyed—Loss $170,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Fire to-night destroyed the Allenhurst Inn, at Allenhurst, N. J., and three cottages adjoining it. The loss is estimated at $170,000, with an insurance of $107,000.

The hotel was one of the best known on the Jersey coast and was thoroughly re-furnished this Spring. There were 165 guests registered at the time of the fire, but they all got out safely.

What you pay for extracts is important, but what you get for your money is ten times more important. *Burnett's Vanilla* costs more because it is worth more.

ANOTHER GREAT COMBINE.

Organization to Control the Bituminous Coal Output of the United States.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CLEVELAND, OHIO, July 1.—The *Leader* to-morrow will say:

Before the first of September all of the big companies producing bituminous coal will have been gathered into one organization, similar to the United States Steel Corporation. The capitalization will be enormous, probably second only to that of the big steel.

From what can be learned work upon the big coal trust has been under way for a greater length of time than any of the other industrial combinations.

J. P. Morgan, the advocate of coalition, first started in with his coal combinations three years ago, making the first movements along the line of controlling the products of the Ohio and West Virginia fields. At that time he obtained complete control of the mining property in Hocking and Shawnee valleys.

The proceedings in the present combination are similar to those displayed in the formation of the steel trust. The aim of it all is to effect one complete monopoly of the bituminous production in the territory east of the Mississippi and north of the Ohio and Potomac. To the accomplishment of this Mr. Morgan is said to have given himself without reserve and will take it up as soon as he returns from Europe.

VIRGINIA LYNCHING.

Negro Taken From Jail at Lawrenceville and Hanged by a Mob.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, VA., July 1.—Joe Walton, a negro, who was arrested several days ago for attempting a criminal assault on Miss Kate Clarke, daughter of Mr. J. H. Clarke, residing near Triplett, in Brunswick county, was, Sunday night, taken quietly out of the jail at Lawrenceville by a band of about fifty to seventy-five men and hanged to the county bridge, four miles from town.

The mob rode quietly into town about midnight, just as the night train for Danville passed. Pickets were thrown out and several men went to Jailor Mitchell's house and made him give up the jail keys. The crowd then went to the jail, took Walton out, conveyed him to the place selected for the execution and swung him off. The mob then dispersed.

LEAD COMBINATION.

Another Trust to Control Output of Fields in Missouri.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 1.—The *Herald* will say to-morrow:

"Official announcement was made yesterday (Monday) of the completion of an immense lead combination, having a capitalization of about $20,000,000, which will control the output of the lead fields of southeastern Missouri. In the consolidation, which has not as yet taken corporate shape, will be included the properties of the Guggenheim exploration company, the Standard Oil lead mines, the Whitney Ryan holdings, those of the Union Lead and Electric storage battery companies and mines owned by Grant B. Schley of this city.

$200,000 FIRE.

Hoosac Tunnel Docks, Charlestown, Mass., With Merchandise Destroyed.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BOSTON, July 1.—A fire which for an hour threatened to do great damage, broke out on Pier 5 of Hoosac Tunnel docks, in Charlestown to-day The pier which is the Boston terminus of the Warren Line Steamship Company was destroyed, with a large quantity of merchandise. The steamer Sachem, from Liverpool, which was unloading at the pier, was towed out of danger before she had suffered seriously. Six freight cars on the dock were consumed. The loss is placed at $200,000.

Seaboard Air Line.

In this issue of the STAR, Vermilye & Co. and Hallgarten & Co. invite subscriptions for $8,000,000 Seaboard Air Line Railway refunding collateral trust 5 per cent 10-year gold bonds. They are part of a total authorized issue of $10,000,000, of which $2,000,000 are reserved to retire an equal amount outstanding of collateral trust 5 per cent. gold bonds, maturing October 1, 1902. They are secured by deposit with the Central Trust Company of New York, Trustee, of $20,000,000 first mortgage 50-year 4 per cent. gold bonds of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, which latter bonds are selling in the open market at about 85. The entire issue of the refunding bonds, but not any part of the same, is subject to redemption at 105 and accrued interest on any half yearly interest day on three months' notice. The proceeds of the bonds are to be used for the immediate retirement of $3,400,000 6 per cent. certificates of indebtedness, to pay for a one-sixth interest in the Richmond Washington Co., to meet car trust instalments, to pay floating debt and to provide a fund of at least $1,000,000 for additions and improvements. Upon the issue of the refunding bonds and the redemption of the 6 per cent. certificates, the annual interest on outstanding bonds and the rentals of the system will amount to $3,524,900 The business of the system for the eleven months ending May 31, 1901, shows gross earnings of $10,008,773 against $8,801,936 in the previous year, an increase of $1,206,837 or 13.7 per cent From January 1 to April 30, 1901, the mileage of the system has increased 10.2 per cent., gross earnings 18 7 per cent. and net earnings 40 per cent. The net earnings for the four months ending April 30 have amounted to $1,281,667; interest and rentals were $826,164, leaving a surplus of $455,503. A considerable part of these bonds having been placed, subscriptions for the remainder will be received at 102 and accrued interest to date of payment, at which price, if not redeemed before maturity, they will net about 4¼ per cent. upon the investment. The subscription list will be opened at the bankers' offices at 10 A. M. on July 5, and closed at 3 P. M. or earlier on the same day. Payment on allotments are to be made on or before July 11th.

Another sharp advance was announced in prices for linseed oil yesterday by the American Linseed Company. The jump in prices was seven cents per gallon. The increase for the last month has been about 25 per cent.

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GIGANTIC STRIKE IS INAUGURATED.

Union Men in Two Branches of the U. S. Steel Corporation Ordered Out.

OVER 35,000 MEN INVOLVED.

Others May be Called Out and the Biggest Strike the Country Has Ever Seen May Occur, Involving Several Hundred Thousand Men.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PITTSBURG, July 1.—As a result of the refusal of the representative of the American Steel Sheet Company and the American Steel Hoop Company, subsidiary companies of the Great United States Steel Corporation, to sign the workers' new scale at Saturday's conference, circulars were sent out from the national headquarters of the Amalgamated Association of the American Steel and Tin Workers, yesterday and to-day, declaring a strike at all the plants of the two combines. The strike is now on, but it will be several days before its actual extent is known. At the outset, however, over 35,000 men will be involved.

What the strike just inaugurated may eventually lead to is problematical Three months ago, when a strike occurred in the wood plant of the American Steel Sheet Company at McKeesport, by the company refusing to allow its men to become members of the Amalgamated Association, President Shaffer threatened if the McKeesport strikers could not win with their own strength he would order a strike in every plant of the company. If the latter would not yield he would then call out the union men in every plant of the United States Steel Corporation. Such a course would then end in the biggest strike the country has ever seen, involving several hundred thousand men.

For the first few weeks the situation will not show the strength of the association. Almost all the plants of the company—union and non union—will be compelled to shut down during the early part of July to give the men a rest. They have been working steadily since the first of the year, many of them without a week's cessation. Union and non-union alike, they are demanding a short vacation, and the prediction is made that the companies will be unable to keep any one at work for two or three weeks after to-morrow. The heat is intense, and the men, one vice president said to-day, are almost in a state of revolt.

It will be after, perhaps the first of August, when the combine makes a serious attempt to start up in full that the real battle will begin if no settlement has been reached at that time. The company cannot well delay operating longer than that, on account of the present flood of orders. In fact the urgent orders now on the books can scarcely wait through July. Thus the association has almost a month more to provide for the coming struggle. It is the boast of the Amalgamated Association officials that by that time they will control eighty per cent. of the capacity of the combines.

BRYAN IN VIRGINIA.

Addressed a Large Audience Last Night at Newport News

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., July 1.—Hon. W. J. Bryan to-night addressed a large audience at the Academy of Music, his subject being "A Conquering Nation." Following the address a banquet was given at Hotel Warwick in his honor by the city Democratic executive committee, at which a number of prominent men were present. He responded to the toast, "The United States." Gov J. Hoge Tyler's toast was "Virginia." Senator Daniel was expected to be present, but was detained in Richmond. From here Mr. Bryan will to Roanoke and Bedford City.

BUFFALO BANK FAILED.

Placed in the Hands of a Receiver by Comptroller of Currency.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 1.—The City National Bank, which was placed in the hands of a receiver on Saturday night by Comptroller of the Currency Dawes, did not open its doors this morning. M. D. Lynch, chief of the division of insolvent banks, and special bank examiner W. A. Moses took charge of the bank to-day, pending the arrival of Mr. Vaughn, temporary receiver.

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TUESDAY	A. M. 6.00, 9.15, 2.45, 5.15, 7.30	A. M. 10.00, P. M. 1.00, 3.30, 6.00, 8.30	A. M. 6.15, P. M. 2.30	12.00 M.
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SATURDAY	A. M. 9.15, P. M. 2.45, 5.15, 7.30	A. M. 10.00, P. M. 1.00, 3.30, 6.00, 8.30	A. M. 6.15, P. M. 2.30	12.00 M.
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WILMINGTON, N. C., June 29th, 1901.

The Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co. have declared a Dividend of One and a Half Per Cent. on the Common Stock of that Company, payable to all holders of record of July 1st, 1901. Dividends due and payable at the Treasurer's Office Wilmington, North Carolina, on and after July 10th, 1901. Transfer Books will stand closed from July 1st to July 10th, 1901, inclusive. JAMES F. POST, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Deposits	1,300,000

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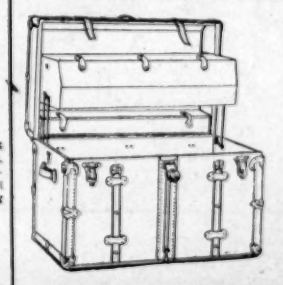

NEW GOODS —AT— GAYLORD'S RACKET STORE.

Sixteen hundred yards of yard wide Percale at 5c yard. A car load of Trunks just received—Zinc Trunks as low as $1.00; 36-inch Packing Trunks at $1.25; large Canvas Trunks, with leather straps and brass locks and trimmings, at $3.75; ladies' large Roller Tray Trunks $6.50 to $10.00; new style of Tray Trunks from $6.50 to $15.00. We carry the largest and finest line of Trunks of any store in the city.

Seventy-five dozen new Corsets—misses' 50c Corset for 25c; a good heavy Corset for ladies for 25c, all sizes; a beautiful short Corset at 50c; Warren's rust proof, straight front Corset at $1.00; R. & G. Short Corsets 75c and $1.00. Twenty-five dozen new Flowers just received—beautiful Pink Roses and Foliage at 45c a bunch, regular price 75c. Twenty dozen ladies' new style sailor Hats wide brim, low crown, silk braided Hats worth $1.50, now 50c; a new line of White Hats at 50c just received; 1,000 Hats to close out at 10c each, all sizes and prices; some are worth 50c each. Two bales new Rugs—small Brussels Bureau Rugs at 25c each; Hearth Rugs in Brussels at $1.25; a big line of Smyrna Rugs cheap—new and pretty styles.

Two hundred Umbrellas and Parasols. Umbrellas, with steel rod, Congo Handle, Twill top, size 26-inch, for 38c Gold and Silver trimmed at 50c. White and colored Parasols at 98c each, regular price $1.25 Ladies' Fine Silk Parasols, with pretty borders, for $2.25. Children's Parasols 25c to 75c each A big line of new Hammocks. Good Hammocks at 68c, 75c, $1, $1.45 and $2.48 A big line of Mosquito Nets at $1.35 and $1.50. Ninety inches wide fine Bobinet at 50c a yard. Netting by the bolt at 45c.

Mason's Fruit Jars—Pint Jars, 5c, quart Jars 7c, half-gallon Jars 10c. Extra rubbers 5c dozen.

Floor Oil Cloth at 25c and 30c a yard. One hundred Matting remnants, 3c to 15c a yard. Pieces worth 12½c to 25c a yard, your choice, price 10c a yard. One hundred rolls Matting 10c, 15c, 18c and 25c a yard. A nice line Men's Shirt Waists, the newest patent and best goods, at 98c each. A nice line new style neckwear for Men. Regular 50c Ties for 25c. Silk Bows for 10c and 15c. Ladies' Silk Grenadine Ties at 25c. New Belts of all kinds, from 10c each up. Men's Belts, 25c and 50c. Two hundred pairs of Men's Fine Pants just received. Pure all worsted goods, regular $5 Pants, for $3.

Men's All-Wool Pants, $1.25. Men's Black Worsted Suits, $2.25. Little Boys' Brownie Overalls at 25c a pair. Child's Tin Pail and Shovels, 5c and 10c. Fine Guitars, $3.25. Nice Mandolins, $2.25 to $4.50. Violins, $1.75 to $4.50. Watches, guaranteed time pieces, for 98c. A nice line of Clocks cheap. Lace Baby Carriage Covers for 39c each. Muslin Covers for 65c each. Bobinet Covers, with ruffles and fine trimmings, at $1.00 each.

A big line of Window Shades. Good Opaque Linen Shades for 35c; with fringe, 30c. Seven-foot Shades, 35c each. Nine-foot Shades, 45c each. Ready hemmed Sheets, full size, at 55c to 75c each. Pillow cases, 10 to 15c each. White enamelled Cottage Poles, 19c. Oak Poles and Trimmings, 15c.

Remember the New Things in our Millinery Department—New Hats and New Flowers of every kind.

Fifteen Hundred yards Silver King Sea Island Shirting, regular 7c goods, for 5c a yard.

GEO. O. GAYLORD, PROP.

208 and 210 North Front Street Near the Postoffice.

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SHOES!!!

OUR SPECIALTY.

But our other Departments are busy sending out extra Bargains. Whatever you need call on us for it, because our prices are uniform.

We sell nothing below cost and then charge double profit on other things to make good the loss.

Remember this. We invite everybody to call on us for cash price.

Respectfully,

MERCER & EVANS CO.

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Notice to Depositors

Interest for the quarter ending June 30th, is now due and payable. Depositors who have had as much as $5.00, on deposit for three months are requested to bring in their books at their convenience to have interest entered. Bring also your money and make a new deposit Monday, as money received on that date will bear interest from July 1st.

The People's Savings Bank,

Opposite the Postoffice.

H. C. McQUEEN, President. JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, Vice President.

Je 30 tf F. W. DICK, Cashier.